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| **BSW ADMISSIONS: SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION** | | | |
| **STATEMENT OF INTENT** | | | |
| Program Entry Term: **SEPTEMBER 2024** | | | |
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| **HOW TO COMPLETE AND SUBMIT** | | | |
| Download and fill out this form.  Upload the completed form as part of the mandatory supplementary application.  *Note: If you are admitted to the Bachelor of Social Work Program, this document will be added to your student file.* | | | |
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| **STATEMENT OF INTENT INSTRUCTIONS** | | | |
| In your statement of intent please answer the following questions:   1. Please consider your positionality (positionality refers to your personal/social/political location, including but not limited to factors such as Indigeneity, race, ability, class, gender and sexual identities) and how that informs your aspirations, interests, motivation and capacity for social work practice. In other words, how does *who you are* and *where you come from* inform your worldview and your intentions for social work education and practice? 2. Given that our program involves exploring emotionally and identity-challenging topics with classmates and instructors of diverse positionality/ies, please discuss your strategies for dealing with discomfort and/or ideas that are new to you. 3. All of us have a responsibility to engage in the work of decolonization, equity and anti-racism. Provide an example of how the concepts of decolonization, equity, anti-racism and/or intersectionality have expanded *your* understanding of an issue in your community. 4. What are you doing and/or what can you do to contribute to culturally safe classrooms and related learning/collaborative spaces? | | | |
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| **Name** |  | **Student number (v#) or application number** |  |

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| **STATEMENT OF INTENT – maximum 650 words** |
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